

SELF-SERVICE TERMINAL**Abstract**

A self-service terminal system (10) is described. The system (10) includes a self-
5 service terminal (14) and a host (12) interconnected by a network (16). The host (12) is
operable to transfer software (90,92) to the terminals (14) for subsequent transfer by a
terminal (14) to a portable device (24) presented by a user (96). Each terminal (14) includes
a communications port (78), so that the terminal (14) is operable to transfer software (90,92)
from the terminal (14) to a portable device (24) using the communications port (78). A
10 method of operating a self-service terminal system is also described.

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